



COMMUNITY PEER MENTORS



SPRING NEWSLETTER

Hi all and welcome to our first Newsletter from the Community Peer Mentors. These will be heading to your inbox seasonally, so this time we are celebrating Spring!

We just want to say Thank you to you all for your continuous hard work and support as we head towards our three year anniversary!

AVAILABLE TRAINING

Eating Disorders

CSP Room, Central House
20th March 2019 10am-12:30pm

As a reminder we still do our **FREE** BTEC and NVQ Qualifications via Derby College.

- Level 2 BTEC Customer Service
- Level 2 BTEC Team Leading
- Level 2 NVQ Customer Service

We also have available the WellBeing for Life training calendar if anyone would like to have a look through this, it is **fully funded!**

And remember the LSCB Safeguarding for both adults and children are both available online for free, and doing at least one of these is a requirement to mentor a client.

If you would like any more information please contact myself or Susan, our training coordinator on susan.abson@durham.pcc.pnn.gov.uk

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TILLEY AWARDS

Last month the Community Peer Mentors won an award called the Tilley Awards, it is a part of the Problem Solving and Demand Reduction Programme and we won ours for Demand Reduction and Volunteers (you guys!)

We are very proud of this and you, and you should be proud of yourselves for this achievement because we couldn't do it without you!



SOME INTERESTING STATISTICS

Since we began 3 years ago we have saved Durham Constabulary **39,377** staff hours, which equates to **nearly a million pounds!**

Out of 110 clients **37** have **never called the police again!**

"Fab to listen to and easy to understand"

-a quote from our 'Collaboration without Collusion' training day at HQ.

We are currently in the process of re-vamping FirST, our online database system. If anyone would like any training on this and how to add notes onto their clients then please feel free to contact me, I can send out a little guide or I can also arrange for you to come into the office if you'd rather!

DO YOU KNOW ANYBODY THAT WOULD MAKE A GOOD MENTOR?! Please feel free to give them information and our contact details!